



Application No. 09/475,449

Attorney Docket No. RCA 89893

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: David Johnston Lynch  
Application No.: 09/475,449  
Filed: December 30, 1999  
Title: Ratings Control System with Temporary Override  
Capability and Store-Recall Feature  
Examiner: Jason J. Chung  
Art Unit: 2611

## RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2005, for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending December 22, 2005 was set in which to respond, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

The Applicants submit that in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing, this response is timely.

**Listing/Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.